

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FROM ALL AROUND THE CITY.

Current Local Events of the Day Briefly Told.

Bits of Facts and Gossip Gathered on the Streets by Times Reporters—Points Political, Social and General Happening Yesterday.

What is Going on To-day.

HUSTINGS COURT—Civil cases.
TEMPLE EMANUEL HALL—Purim entertainment.
CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH—Willoughby Reade recital.

CHRIST CHURCH RECTORY—Tea and social.
BERKELEY BUILDING—Meeting Mountain Dale Lodge, I. O. O. F.

WRIGHT BLOCK—Meeting Virginia Castle, K. of M. C.
PYTHIAN HALL—Meeting Occoala Lodge, K. of P.

JUNIOR ORDER HALL—Meeting Martha Washington Council, Daughters of Liberty.
BERKELEY BUILDING—Meeting Young Men's Institute.

DAY BUILDING—R. M. W. Guards' masked carnival.

A Good Contract From Bristol.

The Cushman Iron Company closed a contract yesterday afternoon for several hundred dollars worth of fence, to be delivered in Bristol, Tenn.

To Hold an Easter Supper.

The ladies of Lee Street M. E. Church will hold an Easter supper at the house of Mrs. McAllister, 27 Third avenue n. w., Friday evening, March 30. All are cordially invited.

Instructing His Successor.

Assistant Postmaster G. T. Rhodes is busily engaged in teaching the workings of the office to his successor, E. M. Mr. Rhodes will relinquish his position on the first of the month.

Arrested For Beating His Wife.

Derry Scott, a colored man who is well known in police circles, was arrested yesterday by Officer Austin on the charge of beating his wife. He will be tried in the police court this morning.

Rev. L. G. Broughton Will Return Tomorrow.

Rev. L. G. Broughton, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, who has been conducting a series of revivals at Raleigh, N. C., will return to Roanoke to-morrow.

Thanks From the Machine Works Band.

The Roanoke Machine Works Band desires to return thanks to the soloists, members of the chorus and orchestra, and school children who so kindly assisted in making their Easter concert a success.

Whereabouts of Goldsworthy.

The whereabouts of B. Goldsworthy are still unknown to the police here. It is reported that he was seen in the Y. M. C. A. building at Lynchburg Thursday night, and the supposition is that he went North from there.

The Guards' Carnival Last Night.

The masked carnival of the Machine Works Guards last night was well attended and a pleasant evening was spent. The mask feature of the carnival does not seem to be a popular one, and to night and to-morrow night no masks will be worn.

The Social Postponed.

The social of the Augsburg League, Christian Endeavor, which was to have been held at the St. Mark's Church to night, has been postponed until Friday night of next week. The business meeting to be held previous to social will also be postponed.

Afraid He Would Leave Town.

Cornelius Laughlin, a white man, was arrested last night by City Sergeant T. R. Tillet, on a capias, and locked up. Laughlin is indebted to the firm of Nicholas & Woodward to the amount of \$130 and they hearing that he was going to leave the city, had him arrested.

Tea and Social at Christ Church Rectory.

The tea and social at the rectory of Christ Church, 316 Church avenue s. w., this afternoon and evening, will be under the direction and management of the Christ Church Circle of King's Daughters. Supper will be provided, and during the evening singing will be an attraction. Gentlemen are invited to stop at the rectory for supper.

Armistead Held for the Grand Jury.

Robert Armistead, alias Bob Chaney, the colored man who was arrested by the deputy United States marshal Tuesday night for selling liquor without a license, was given a hearing before Commissioner Rhodes last night. He was sent on to the fall term of the United States grand jury, and committed to jail in default of \$200 bail.

Meeting of the Library Association.

A meeting of the Public Library Association was held in their room in the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon, and transacted some business of minor importance. The association wish to offer thanks to the Y. M. C. A. for the room and to Mr. Geary for the doors. The association is in need of book cases and other things and all favors will be gratefully received.

A Barrel of Flour for Charity.

The Alert Fire Company's dance at St. Andrew's hall was largely attended last night. The dance will not be held to-night, but will be resumed to-morrow night. Two young ladies are raising funds for the company and the one who raises the largest amount will be presented with a barrel of flour to-morrow night. Both contestants have signified their intention of donating the flour to charitable purposes.

"Purim" Entertainment To-night.

The Temple Emanuel Sunday-school will give a vocal and instrumental entertainment this evening in Temple

Emanuel hall on Henry street in commemoration of their holiday, "Purim." A phonograph will be operated during the intermission. The entertainment will be under the direction of Superintendent A. Wiener, and the proceeds will be devoted to the organ fund.

Before Judge Turner Yesterday.

In police court yesterday morning Justice Turner disposed of the following cases: Sam Jackson was fined \$2.50 for being disorderly; Carrie Sanders and Ida Farley were each fined \$10 for violating a city ordinance; Maggie Jones and Annie Jackson, for fighting, were fined \$2.50 each; James Leach, who was charged with being a suspicious character, was dismissed and ordered to leave the city at once.

Judge Williams a Candidate for Re-election.

As stated in the advertising columns this morning THE TIMES is authorized to announce that Judge Samuel G. Williams is a candidate for re-election to the office of justice of the peace from the first ward. Judge Williams was appointed to the office in 1889. He has been re-elected three successive terms and has always discharged his duties in a fair and impartial manner.

No Business Transacted at Yesterday's Meeting.

The executive committee of pastors and laymen, appointed to arrange for a series of union evangelistic meetings, held an informal meeting yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. building, but as several of the members were absent from the city no business was transacted. An important meeting will be held next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at which all of the members are expected to be present.

Arrested for Eating His Cousin's Dinner.

Frank Fields, colored, was arrested yesterday forenoon by Officer Griffin, on a warrant sworn out by George Board, also colored, charging him with the theft of a basket of provisions valued at \$2. The two men were cousins and were together Tuesday on Maj. Joseph H. Sands' farm, where Fields was employed as watchman. Board had his dinner in the basket and, while he had gone to a house near by, claims that Fields ate his dinner.

Nominations of Athletic Club Officers.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Roanoke Athletic Club to be held Monday, April 2nd, at the rooms of the club, the following nominations which have been made will be voted upon: President, John M. Payne; first vice-president, J. C. Davenport; second vice-president, E. W. Robertson; secretary and treasurer, Lanier Gray. Board of governors, J. W. Hancock, J. H. Morris, J. W. Barksdale, E. B. Spencer, Jr., C. R. Evans, W. B. Moss and W. W. Williams.

Christ Church's New Vestrymen.

At Christ Church last night a good congregation was present and after a short prayer service the following vestry was elected: O. D. Dorr, F. D. Booth, B. A. Rives, C. E. Michael, R. Wood, J. C. Page, L. K. Brugh, A. S. Hughes, H. G. Davies, C. Bilharz, C. Palmer and E. J. Reed.

After the congregation adjourned the new vestry met and re-elected Mr. C. Bilharz registrar. They then adjourned to meet at the rectory, 316 Church avenue, on the second Monday in April at 8 p. m.

Article of Agreement for the Glove Contest Signed.

Joseph Froslin, an Italian, and Jessie Price, colored, two bantam weights, signed articles of agreement yesterday afternoon to engage in a ten-round glove contest, for scientific points, on the night of April 4. The men will spar for a purse of \$25 a side and the gate receipts, of which the winner is to take two-thirds and the loser one-third. The match will probably be held under the auspices of the Roanoke Athletic Club. Thomas Brennan has been named as referee.

Complaints of Petit Thieving.

Paul Cruciger, who lives at 163 Wells avenue northwest, and who is the foreman of the Stone Printing and Manufacturing Company, complained to the police last night that some one had stolen wood and coal from his wood house and also some of his chickens. The residence of Mrs. VanLow, who lives next door to him, had also been visited and a quarter of a ton of coal stolen. Mr. Cruciger said that there is a bad crowd of boys in his neighborhood who destroyed property and did other damage. The chief promised to break the crowd up.

Fire on Eighth Avenue Last Night.

A stable, carriage house and workshop, situated in the rear of the residence owned and occupied by V. H. Payne, No. 373 Eighth avenue s. w., caught fire about 11:30 o'clock last night. There was some delay in turning in an alarm and the buildings were about consumed before the fire companies arrived. The workshop and carriage house were empty but there were three cows in the stable. These were gotten out, however. The first two buildings were burned to the ground but the firemen extinguished the flames in the stable before it was entirely consumed.

Howard Gould to Wed an Actress Too.

New York, March 27.—The marriage engagement of Howard Gould to Miss Bessie Kirkland, known on the stage as Miss Odette Tyler, is officially announced. Mr. Gould in an interview to-day said that after her marriage his wife would retire from the stage. "Miss Tyler," he said in an interview this morning, "comes from Georgia. There is no truth in the story of my incurring financial loss by this marriage, nor does my family disapprove."

PERSONS having ice cream packing cans at their house belonging to us will please notify and greatly oblige, Eagle Dairy. CHAS. T. LUKINS, proprietor.

WAS NOT DR. EDDY.

The Man Arrested at Charlottesville and Brought Here Bears no Resemblance to Him.

Policeman Rigney returned yesterday afternoon from Charlottesville, where he had gone after Dr. C. R. Eddy, the veterinary surgeon, who is wanted here for stealing from F. C. White. Rigney had the man who had been arrested at that place for Eddy, and took him to the station house. When Dr. White saw him he said at once that he was not Dr. Eddy, and several gentlemen, who are acquainted with the latter, also said that he was not the man.

The prisoner stated that his name was William Henry Arthur, and that he has lived in Charlottesville for about two years. He said that he was arrested Monday, and, although he insisted that his name was not Eddy, the Charlottesville authorities held him and notified the Roanoke police.

Arthur does not all answer the description of Eddy, and it is strange that he should have been arrested for him. As soon as the mistake was discovered Arthur was released from confinement. He takes his arrest good-naturedly, and says he has often had a desire to visit Roanoke, although he does not like the manner in which he was brought here.

Did you miss the Carnival last night? Well, go to-night.

ROANOKE'S PUBLIC BUILDING.

Superintendent of Construction Garry Expects to Begin Work on June 1.

The Treasury Department has at last made a move in the Roanoke public building matter, and the chances are that work on the much talked of structure will be commenced soon.

City Engineer Dunlap has received a letter from the supervising architect's office inquiring if the sewers about the proposed site of the building had been laid in accordance with the plans forwarded to Washington by him last March. He answered the letter to the effect that the sewers had been laid.

John J. Garry, superintendent of construction of the building, states that he expects to commence work on it by the first of June.

The auction sale at the Bridgewater Carriage Company in Norwich will be continued to-day. Here is an excellent opportunity to get excellent vehicles cheap.

Be sure to get your photo taken by the Carnival artist.

You can be permanently cured of opium or whiskey habit without leaving your home or business. Dr. B. M. Woolley, Atlanta, Ga., a noted specialist in these diseases, will, if requested, send a valuable book to anyone interested.

Dancing floor unsurpassed at Carnival.

SEE notice elsewhere of opening display of millinery goods at J. R. Helm's, the Bon Marche.

Come and enjoy yourself at the Guards Carnival.

I WANT to buy a three-minute horse for a friend of mine and pay a fair price for him. W. C. WILLIAMS, Livery and Sale Stable.

OPENING and display of pattern hats, bonnets and millinery novelties, Wednesday and Thursday, March 21 and 22, at the Bon Marche. The ladies are cordially invited to attend. J. R. HELM, proprietor.

JAPANESE Liver Pellets are the best family medicine for liver complaint and constipation. 50 pills in vial 25 cents. Sold at Christian & Barbee's.

JOHNSON'S Oriental Soap is far superior to all the other so-called medicinal soaps for beautifying the complexion. Sold by Christian & Barbee.

Disposing of a Difficulty.

Judge Kent once in a very sensible and summary fashion disposed of a quibble such as lawyers so often set up in defense of their clients. A man was indicted for burglary, and the evidence on the trial showed that it consisted in cutting a hole through a tent in which several persons were sleeping and then introducing his head and arm through the hole and abstracting various articles of value.

It was claimed by prisoner's counsel that inasmuch as he never actually entered the tent with his whole body he had not committed the offense charged and must therefore be acquitted.

The judge in reply to this plea told the jury that if they were not satisfied that the whole man was involved in the crime they might bring in a verdict of guilty against so much of him as was thus involved.

The jury, after a brief consultation, found the right arm, the right shoulder and the head of the prisoner guilty of the offense of burglary.

The judge therefore sentenced the right arm, the right shoulder and head to imprisonment with hard labor in the state prison for two years, remarking that, as to the rest of the man's body, he might do with it what he pleased.—Green Bag.

Early Efforts at Making Cook Stoves.

Doubtless some form of cooking stove has been used from a very early period. Previous to 1745 the stoves of all kinds used in America were imported from Holland or Germany, but in that year a stove was invented by Benjamin Franklin that was a great improvement on all that had preceded it. In 1771 he continued his inventions in this line and produced a stove for burning bituminous coal which consumed its own smoke and another which, after being filled at the top, could be inverted and made to burn from the base. Between 1785 and 1795 several improvements in stoves, ovens, heating and cooking apparatus were made by Count Rumford, and as early as 1793 his soapstone lined ranges had been introduced in New York and were coming gradually into general use.

J. W. SEMONES, D. D. S. DENTIST.

132 Salem avenue, Over Traders' Loan and Trust Company.

MARSHALL & WENDELL PIANO.

What it is.

A Piano whose history, as it appears, covers forty eventful, developing years, in which it has distanced full many competitors.—It tel

A Piano which steadily, grandly, has grown Until even its rivals reluctantly own That it rates as first-class, both in beauty and tone.—It tel

The "survival of fittest" here finds its solution, For the product of patient, steady "evolution," As well as of sturdy, intense resolution.—It tel

A Piano whose mission it has been to teach That the highest success is within easy reach Of unflinching persistence, for all and for each.—It tel

A Piano whose dulcet, melodious notes, Accord with the music from sweet warblers' throats, Which on the sweet air of the bright spring-time floats.—It tel

A Piano you'll soon learn to love and care for, As with voice sweet and soft it will soothe your distress, And a charmer and friend, before long you'll confess.—It tel

Hobbie Music Co., sole dealers, No. 157 Salem avenue.

Do you want a cook?
Do you want boarders?
Do you want a man

to make up the garden?
Do you want a bookkeeper?
Do you want a house?

Let the people : :
know your wants : :
through the cent- : :
a-word column of : :
THE TIMES. : :

NOTICE.—ALL TRAN-

sient advertising must be paid cash in advance, to save cost of booking and collecting. Advertisements in the one-cent-a-word column are one cent for each of the first two insertions and half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—A GOLD BRACELET, between Second street and Third avenue n. w. and the Academy of Music. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. 3 29 1t

LOST—A PAIR OF WHITE KID gloves in a pink envelope; finder would oblige by returning to No. 217 Ninth avenue s. w. 3 28 1t

LOST—GOLD PIN, SMALL PEARL center. Reward if left at TIMES office. 3 25 1t

LOST—BLACK AND WHITE SETTER dog, answers to name of "Dan." Had chain collar on when lost. Call at TIMES office. 3 25 1t

SOME ONE LEFT A PACKAGE AT THE TIMES office containing goods purchased from Snyder & Mac Bain. Call and prove property and obtain same. 3 18 3t

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—SIX SETTING HENS AT market price. J. N. JAMISON, Ponce de Leon. 3 27 1w

PIANO WANTED—TO RENT, WITH privilege of buying. Terms must be reasonable. Address A. F., TIMES office. 3 27 6t

WANTED.—TO BUY AN ATTRACTIVE suburban improved or unimproved place a few miles from Roanoke, with nice grove, spring and orchard; prefer it near car line. Address for one week, H. B. WALKER, Hotel Roanoke, Roanoke, Va. 3 25 3t

WANTED—A SMALL, SECOND-hand soda apparatus, complete. Address M. M. PRICE, Ivanhoe, Va., P. O. Box 111. 3 25 2t

WHAT WILL SOMEBODY GIVE for \$100 full paid stock, Virginia Real Estate Investment Company? Make an offer. Money or anything. 3 25 1w

WANTED—MASTIFF FOR ST. BERNARD pup, of good blood, age about six months. Address, stating price, "C. D.," TIMES office. 3 25 1t

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS second hand pool table. Address "G. F. C.," Box 236, Radford, Va. 3 8 1w

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A GOOD horse and buggy. Apply at Knapp's Livery Stable. 3 25 1t

FOR SALE—MY \$150 DELIVERY wagon and \$90 safe are for sale; in good repair; bargains. Call at H. M. WORDS feed store. 3 25 1t

FOR SALE—PNEUMATIC TIRE Victor bicycle, in excellent condition; will sell cheap. Address "H.," TIMES office. 3 25 1t

FOR SALE—GOOD FAMILY HORSE, splendid driver, ladies can handle. Mrs. J. L. STAFFORD, Tenth avenue, corner Franklin road s. w. 3 24 1w

FOR SALE—EGGS FOR HATCHING. Best game stock. Cassairs and Snow Storm \$2 per thirteen. C. DEBOW, Cloverdale, Va. 3 20

BOARD WANTED.

BOARD AND ROOMS WANTED for the Roanoke Athletic Baseball Club, eight men, from April 1. Men will average half the time out of town. Address stating full particulars and bottom price per week. "R. A. C.," TIMES office. 3 28 1w

GRAND OPENING.

YOUNG'S WORLD-RENOVED HATS.

Given up to be the handsomest hat made. You cannot be well dressed without it, so don't be foolish enough to buy until you have seen them. It will be the cause of buying two hats. If you act hastily in the matter, your friends will have it, and if you wish to be recognized by them, YOU must have it.

JOSEPH COHN, Sole Agent.

We also have a full line of Young's man's shapes in Reolof's hats at \$4. And, again, we can give you Young's man's exact shape in the Melville make for \$2.50 and \$3.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED

50 Dozen Fancy Shirts,

With collars and cuffs separate; also attached. These goods are selling themselves without the aid of our popular salesmen. Call and see them do it. Admission free.

JOSEPH COHN,

E. M. DAWSON, Manager.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—ROOM NO. 17 CAMPbell avenue, one door east of post-office. E. H. STEWART. 3 28.

FOR RENT—TWO PLEASANT rooms, furnished or unfurnished, reasonably. Call at 515 Church street s. w. 3 18 1w

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—SITUATION AS COOK by white woman. Good references; wages, \$5 per month. Address COOK, TIMES office. 3 27 1t

SITUATION WANTED.—COMMERCIAL man of ten years' experience wants position; wholesale groceries preferred. "SALESMAN," TIMES office. 3 25 3t

WANTED—HELP.

WANTED—A RELIABLE MAN TO act as city agent for the best slot machine novelty ever made. Write for particulars. THE ANTHONY COMPANY, Cincinnati, Ohio. 3 25 1t

THE ROANOKE TIMES WANTS A live correspondent in every city and town in Southwest Virginia. Address, Editor ROANOKE TIMES. 3 25 1t

WANTED.—A GOOD INTELLIGENT man knowing city well to handle fast selling article on commission. Address, "H. M. S.," TIMES office. 3 25 3t

A COLLECTOR WANTED ON SALARY. STANDARD INSTALLMENT CO., 309 Commerce. 3 23 1w

WANTED.—ONE GOOD MAN TO solicit city trade; must be a "hustler." Apply at once. 30 Campbell street. 3 18 3t

NOTICE OF MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' NOTICE. ROANOKE Athletic Club.—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Roanoke Athletic Club will be held at the club rooms Monday evening, April 2 at 8 p. m. Nominations for the election of a president, first and second vice-presidents, secretary-treasurer and six members on the board of governors must be made not later than SATURDAY, MARCH 31, and must be in writing, seconded by stockholders and forwarded to nominating committee, composed of W. W. Williams, E. B. Spencer, Jr., and C. A. Carpenter. GOOCH VAUGHAN, Assistant Secretary. 3 28 to 4 2

NOTICE.—THE REGULAR ANNUAL meeting of the stockholders of the Roanoke Building Association and Investment Company will be held on Monday evening, April 16, 1894, at 8 o'clock sharp in the rooms of Penn & Cooke, Terry Building, Roanoke, Va. Election of officers and such other business as will properly come before the meeting. D. H. MATSON, President; A. J. LOUGHERY, Secretary. 3 17 30d.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.—THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Duvall Engine Company for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the company's office in Roanoke, Va., on Tuesday, April 10, 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m. S. A. BOUQUET, Secretary. Roanoke, Va., March 7, 1894. 3 8 30d

AN ANNUAL AND GENERAL meeting of the stockholders of the Glade Land Company will be held Tuesday, April 17, 1894, at 4 o'clock p. m., in the office of S. D. Ferguson, banking house in Roanoke, Va. GEO. C. McCAHAN, Secretary. 3 15 1dm.

NOTICE.—THE REGULAR ANNUAL meeting of the stockholders of the Roanoke Street Railway Company will be held on Saturday, April 14, 1894, at 12 o'clock noon, in room 306 Terry building, in Roanoke, Va. GEO. C. McCAHAN, Secretary. 3 11 1d

NOTICE.—THE REGULAR ANNUAL and general meeting of the stockholders of the Roanoke Electric Light and Power Company will be held on Saturday, April 14, 1894, at 1 o'clock p. m., in room 306 Terry building, in Roanoke, Va. GEO. C. McCAHAN, Secretary. 3 11 1d

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.—AT A meeting of the Common Council of Roanoke, Va., held March 6, 1894, the following resolution was adopted: Be it resolved, "That all persons paying city taxes of 1893 in money between now and the first day of May next, be allowed a rebate of 5 percent., which has been added according to law. In accordance with above resolution 5 percent. rebate will be allowed on city taxes within the specified time and I hope every tax-payer will take advantage of it. Most respectfully, C. W. THOMAS, City Treasurer. 3 10 1m

TO THE VOTERS OF THE CITY OF ROANOKE.—I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Constable, at the ensuing election, and respectfully ask the support of my friends, pledging myself to the faithful discharge of the duties of the office. My candidacy is subject to the Democratic primary. 3 20 1t. A. L. POWELL

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